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HERO...

Expect Traffic Pacing on Metro Atlanta Interstates for HERO Funeral Procession

WHAT:

The funeral procession for HERO Operator Moses King will travel on multiple interstates in DeKalb and Fulton counties. Beginning at **11 a.m. on Thursday, March 24, the funeral procession will leave the HERO Headquarters at 515 Plasters Avenue Atlanta, Georgia 30324** to the Murray Brothers Funeral Home, 1199 Utoy Springs Road SW, Atlanta, GA 30331. Funeral service will begin at 1 p.m. at the same location.

Georgia State Patrol, Fulton County Police Department, and Atlanta Police Department will escort the funeral procession. Law enforcement will close all lanes on I-85 southbound at the Buford Spring Connector (exit 86) to allow the funeral procession line enter the interstate. The same operation will take place on I-285 southbound (exit 9) at the I-20 interchange. The funeral procession will require approximately 2 lanes to be paced. The traffic pace will require motorists to drive 5 mph -10 mph.

WHEN:

Funeral Procession will leave at 11 a.m., Thursday, March 24
Funeral Service will begin at 1 p.m., Thursday, March 24

FUNERAL PROCESSION ROUTE:

- HERO Headquarters, 515 Plasters Avenue Atlanta, Georgia 30324
- All lanes will close on I-85 southbound at the Buford Spring Connector (exit 86) to allow all funeral procession vehicles to enter the interstate
- Continue on I-85 southbound to I-75/I-85 (Downtown Connector) southbound
- Exit off I-75/I-85 southbound to I-20 westbound (exit 247)
- Travel on I-20 westbound to the I-285 interchange (exit 51)
- All lanes will close on I-285 southbound (exit 9) at the I-20 interchange to allow all funeral procession vehicles to enter the interstate
- Continue driving on I-285 southbound exit at Cascade Road (exit 7)

- Continue traveling on Cascade Road to the Murray Brothers Funeral Home, 1199 Utoy Springs Road SW, Atlanta, GA 30331

Media is not allowed on the funeral home property.